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1   *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*

2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "21st Century Montgomery GI Bill Enhancement Act".

SEC. 2. INCREASE IN RATES OF BASIC EDUCATIONAL AS-SISTANCE UNDER MONTGOMERY GI BILL.

(a) IN GENERAL.—(1) Section 3015(a)(1) of title 38, United States Code, is amended to read as follows:

"(1) for an approved program of education pursued on a full-time basis, at the monthly rate of—

"(A) for months occurring during fiscal year 2002, $800,

"(B) for months occurring during fiscal year 2003, $950,

"(C) for months occurring during fiscal year 2004, $1,100, and

"(D) for months occurring during a subsequent fiscal year, the amount for months occurring during the previous fiscal year increased under subsection (h); or".

(2) Section 3015(b)(1) of such title is amended to read as follows:

"(1) for an approved program of education pursued on a full-time basis, at the monthly rate of—

"(A) for months occurring during fiscal year 2002, $650,

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1   "(B) for months occurring during fiscal

2   year 2003, \$772,

3   "(C) for months occurring during fiscal

4   year 2004, \$894, and

5   "(D) for months occurring during a subse-

6   quent fiscal year, the amount for months occur-

7   ring during the previous fiscal year increased

8   under subsection (h); or".

9 (b) CPI ADJUSTMENT.—No adjustment in rates of

10 educational assistance shall be made under section

11 3015(h) of title 38, United States Code, for fiscal years

12 2002, 2003, and 2004.

  Passed the House of Representatives June 19, 2001.

  Attest:

               Clerk.

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